

# PARENTS AS COLLABORATIVE LEADERS (PACL) TRAININGS

Free training program presented by parents of children with special health care needs.



The **Whole Child Health Section of the N.C. Child Division of Child & Family Well-Being** has assembled a group of parent leaders and trained them to facilitate the nationally recognized, research-based curriculum, **Parents as Collaborative Leaders (PACL)**. These parents are passionate about teaching others who have children with a variety of special healthcare needs and/or developmental concerns to become effective leaders in their communities, at the state level, and at the national level. These trainings have been used to support parents and caregivers being more active and confident at the table in a variety of educational, medical, and community settings. **The trainings are offered at no cost.**

## Module 7: Understanding Conflict

Thursday, May 11, 2023 (10:00am-11:30am)

<https://room.webex.com/weblink/register/r2319dbb01b79cbfe3f45ac3d12fa1a75>

### Description:

Define various approaches to dealing with conflict. Understand the uses, strengths, and limitations of various approaches to conflict. Reflect on personal strengths and challenges in relation to conflict, and the ways in which these can enhance or serve as a barrier to effective leadership and collaboration.

## Module 8: Re-Framing Agendas: From the Personal to the Policy Level

Thursday, June 8, 2023 (10:00am-11:30am)

<https://room.webex.com/weblink/register/r84c0b2d8f7c7598584db4460f29af628>

### Description:

Identify the difference between a personal concern and a policy concern. Demonstrate the ability to re-state personal concerns as policy issues. Demonstrate the ability to describe your policy issue to a person whose support you need to make changes in policy.



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